



# **NEWS RELEASE**

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## **Sheriff's Detectives Execute Department of Corrections Search Warrant at Fauquier Residence**

Early this week Fauquier Sheriff's detectives were contacted by the Virginia Department of Corrections Special Investigations Unit and asked to assist with an investigation involving a Fauquier resident. The investigation was in regard to this individual allegedly communicating with a Department of Corrections inmate to conspire to deliver narcotics to a Department of Corrections (DOC) facility in Virginia.

On Monday, February 5, 2018, a special agent with the DOC Special Investigations Unit obtained a search warrant from a Fauquier Magistrate for a residence in the Marshall area of Fauquier County in relation to this investigation. Fauquier County Sheriff's Office detectives executed that search warrant at approximately 10:30 p.m. Monday night at the residence located in the 4100 block of Ashville Road, Marshall, VA.

The execution of the search warrant occurred without incident, no one was arrested at the time of the search warrant. Sheriff's detectives assisted with the search and collection of evidence and charges, if any, will be at the result of the DOC investigation.

Your Sheriff's Office continues to be vigilant in stopping civilians and inmates who conspire to attempt to smuggle contraband into state or local detention facilities. No facility is immune to this crime and we continue to work together with our partners in law enforcement to keep our correctional facilities safe and secure.

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